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3 By Representatives Sanderford, Patterson, Johnson (W),
4 Williams (P), Ball, McCutcheon and Hall
5 RFD: Rules
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8 HONORING HAROLD H. POTTS FOR DEDICATED SERVICE TO
9 MADISON COUNTY THROUGH THE EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT SYSTEM.

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11 WHEREAS, highest commendation is herein conveyed to
12 Harold H. Potts in recognition of his longtime service to the
13 people of Madison County through the Emergency Management
14 System; and

15 WHEREAS, he has had a lifelong interest in and
16 commitment to law enforcement, fire protection, and emergency
17 medical services; among his well-deserved honors, he received
18 the Special Recognition Award of the Local Emergency Planning
19 Committee in 2004; and

20 WHEREAS, a founding member of the Huntsville-Madison
21 County 9-1-1 Center Board, he became Chairman of the Board of
22 Commissioners in 1993, played a major role in the 1997
23 construction of the 9-1-1 Complex, and has been instrumental
24 in maintaining the 9-1-1 Center as a world-class facility
25 through continuing technology upgrades; and

1 WHEREAS, in 2009, the Madison County Commission
2 acted to name the Huntsville-Madison County 9-1-1 Center in
3 honor of Harold H. Potts; and

4 WHEREAS, in 2011, Mr. Potts was appointed a lifetime
5 supernumerary nonvoting member of the Board of Commissioners
6 of the Madison County Communications District, where he had
7 served since its inception in 1986 and as Chairman of the
8 Board as of 1994; and

9 WHEREAS, Mr. Potts has made immeasurable
10 contributions to the well-being of the people of Madison
11 County, making the county a safer, healthier, and better place
12 in which to live; through the years, he has earned respect for
13 his exceptional abilities and tireless dedication, and he is
14 truly deserving of special recognition; now therefore,

15 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF ALABAMA, BOTH
16 HOUSES THEREOF CONCURRING, That it is a great pleasure to
17 honor and commend Harold H. Potts for his longtime service to
18 the people of Madison County through the Emergency Management
19 System, and this resolution is offered in admiration and
20 appreciation to him, along with best wishes in all future
21 endeavors.